GEORGE HUFF

Manufacturer of
Strictly
High
Grade

Damascus Steel Gaffs.

Address, STATION "A,"
LOUISVILLE, KY.

Announcement

To the Fraternity:

In mailing you this, my Catalogue on Strictly High Grade Damascus Steel Gaffs, I must acknowledge a feeling of pride in its improved appearance, and my customers, the better class of the fraternity, doubtless agree with me that it is not only the handsomest Catalogue on Gaffs ever issued, but also the most complete and practical.

I beg to call your attention to the fact that every cut shown in this Catalogue is made from the original Gaff and of my very own design and set, and not an imitation of any cockers' or at any other Gaff makers set or expense whatever.

I have discarded all my former cuts for new ones. The cuts shown are not actual size. They merely show the designs I make.

Holes in socket of all my Gaffs are 7-16 inch in diameter, unless otherwise ordered.

I design, forge, finish, set, temper and leather same, ready to tie on.

I manufacture the leading and most successful Gaffs used throughout the South and Mexico today.

I have been making these Gaffs in Louisville, Ky., for nearly a quarter of a century for some of the greatest cockers of the day.

Mrs. Huff has charge of the packing and mailing, and thus are all orders promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

For set, style, finish and cutting qualities I bar none throughout the world.

My references are not fictitious or manufactured, or ashamed of paying my price and their names being sent out broadcast throughout the country. Private references furnished on application.

Very respectfully yours,

GEO. HUFF.

....Notice....

As this Catalogue treats only of high grade goods, prices stand as rated. No discount on any number of pairs ordered.

Parties ordering Gaffs sent C. O. D. must enclose $2.00 with order.

The party receiving Gaffs pays all express charges.

Parties ordering Gaffs will please remit by New York Exchange, Post Office or Express Money Order for amount of goods ordered. Individual checks must be accompanied by 25c to cover exchange on same.

I employ no agents to follow up mains to represent my Gaffs.

No Cockers have my Gaffs for sale. None of my Gaffs are offered as premiums.

I put customers initials on socket of Gaff in artistic style on cash orders only.

All my Gaffs are neatly laced in the finest French Calf Skin. No trading of Gaffs for Games.

No re-setting of Gaffs of other makes. Order by numbers, don't tear out pages.

....Particular Notice....

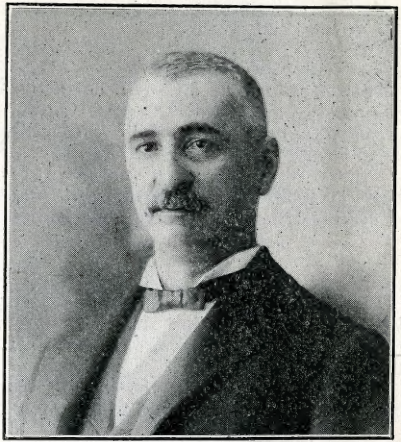
I warrant every Gaff to first purchaser for ten years. No responsibility after transferring or honing points to chisel edge, rust, drawing temper or hardening them. Any Gaff bending, the pair must be returned. Any Gaff breaking, all parts of the Gaff, as well as its mate, must be returned, which will be replaced free of charge.

I caution all my customers not to loan or send their Gaffs to be duplicated, as it has come under my notice that parties have tried to belittle me and my Gaffs by drawing temper so as to bend, and hardened them so as to break.

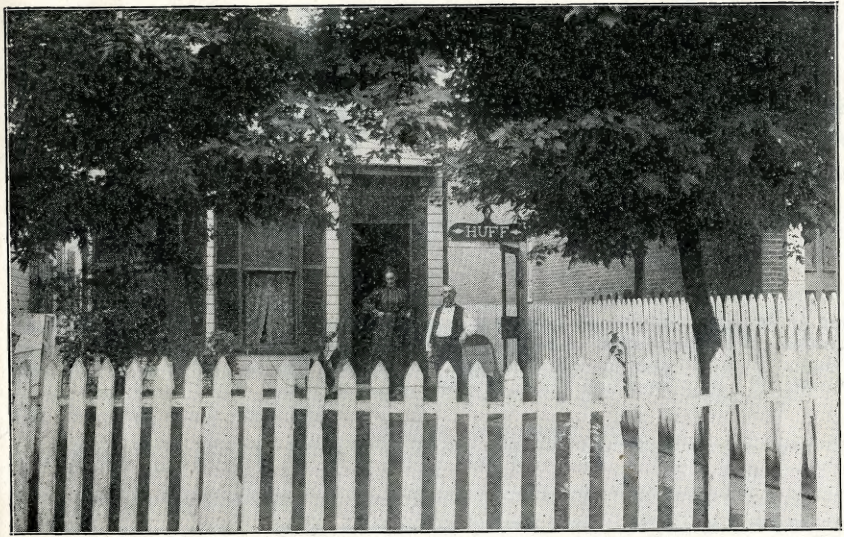
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify that every testimonial in this Catalogue was taken from the original letters. We know Mr. Huff to be a man of his word. These Catalogues are paid for. CAXTON PRINTING CO., Louisville, Ky.

MRS. GEO. HUFF

These are the People you have to contend with



MR. GEO. HUFF



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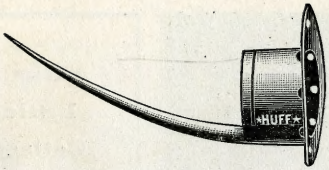
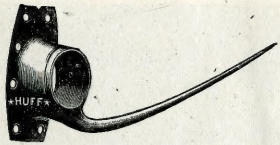


No. 6

Nos. 4 and 6,

1½ to 1¾ inches,

$5 per pair.



No. 4

MORRILL, ME., October 18, 1899.

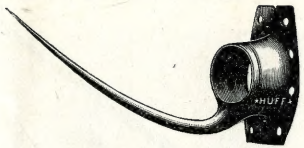
Friend Huff, the maker of the best Gaffs made:

I have three pairs of Gaffs that money won't buy; that is any reasonable amount. I should like for you to see some I go against. I fought a fight yesterday. My friend went home with one bent, the other broke, and lost the fight. I like to keep up with the times, and should like to have your latest catalogue. The Gaffs you replaced I have used four times, won three and lost one. They stand and cut to perfection.

Your friend and customer,

CHARLES MESSERVIE.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.



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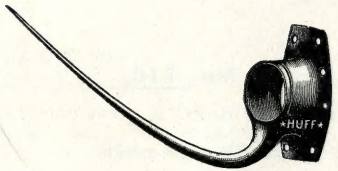
Nos. 8 and 10,

1½ to 1¾ inches,

$5 per pair.

2 inch,

$6 per pair.



No. 10

COALDALE, ALA., September 8, 1899.

To the Fraternity:

I take pleasure in saying to any and everybody that I have had dealings with Mr. George Huff, and I find him a perfect gentleman in every respect, and in my opinion his Gaffs are the best ever tied on a cock's leg.

C. R. TAVEL.

KEYSTONE, W. VA., April 18, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

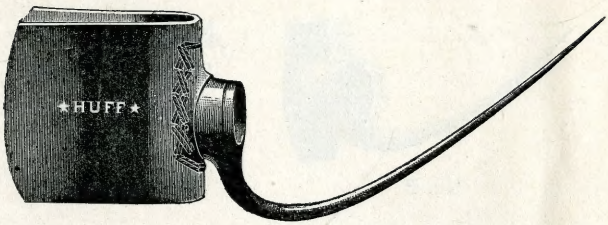
DEAR SIR:—I received the Gaffs and I am well pleased with them. I also note your letter on lending. I have none to lend. Many thanks for the fine Gaffs. Yours respectfully, E. V. WEAVER.

This enables me to give you a set for your cocks to do quick execution.

No. 110

Is my front drop. A good cutter.

$7.50 per pair.



ORANGE HEIGHTS, FLA., March 4, 1902.

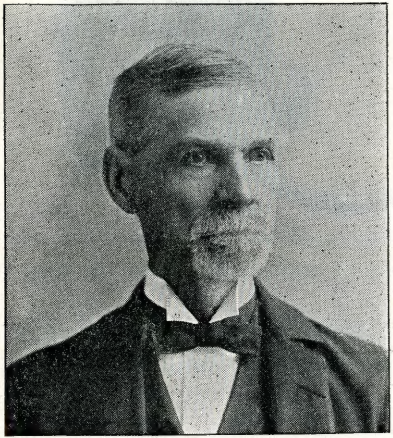
Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I have been wanting to write to you ever since my return from North Carolina, of my cock fight. Well, we matched sixteen in main and won eleven. I am well pleased with your No. 196, 2¾ inch Gaffs, so well pleased, that I would not take $100 for them, and want another pair 2½ inches long, same set and style.

Yours truly,

R. F. BARNES.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.



Originator and Breeder of the Only Genuine Kentucky Dominiques.

THE only cocker in the United States who has traveled north, south, and east and met the very best of the fraternity on their own terms five times at New Orleans; twice via the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. He met such cockers as Chas. Byrnes, of New Orleans; F. E. Grist of Fort Gaines; Col. Thos. Bacon; Major Tate, Alabama; Doctor Gee, Alabama; John Franklin, New Orleans; Holly Chappell, Detroit, Mich.; Henry Grimmie, Yazoo City, Miss.; James Dougery, New York, N. Y.; Charles Brown, Georgia; Henry Daws and Mr. Chevally, New Orleans.

I have used Geo. Huff's Gaffs and find them equal in every respect, if not better, than any I ever used, and indorse everything he advertises concerning them.

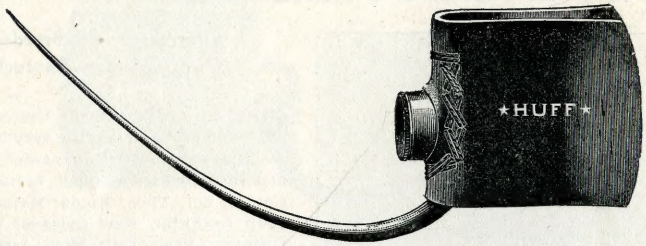
THOMAS J. O'NEAL.

No. 648 Fifth Street,
Louisville, Ky.

No. 196

Is the finest and most deadly cutting Gaff made. It is a full drop. Best in 2½ and 2¾ inches.

$10 per pair.



MORGAN CITY, LA., January 18, 1899.

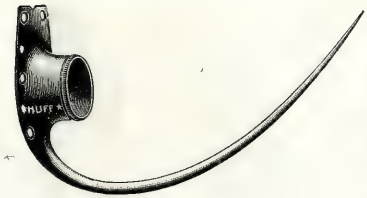
Mr. Geo. Huff, Esq., Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Yours received. The Gaffs I spoke of and said I would sell with a great deal of persuasion for $100 is the first pair of 2¾ that you made for me, in December 1897. I call them my old 2¾, as they are the first pair you made for me. I mean just what I said. Am almost busted, but $99 would not buy them. With best wishes, I am,

Yours truly,

A. A. OZENNE.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.



No. 95

No. 95
Is a full drop, 2¼ to 2½ inches.
$7.50 per pair.

No. 175
Is my Jagger 2¼ to 2⅝ inches. Very clean cutter.
$7.50 per pair.

No. 175

CONCORD, TENN., May 4, 1899.

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed find P. O. Money Order for $22.50 for which make and send to me at your earliest convenience three pair Drop Socket Gaffs, 2⅛, 2¼ and 2⅜ inches long. The four pair of Jaggers I bought of you I have been using two years. I have won every fight but one they were used in. Wishing you success,

Yours truly,

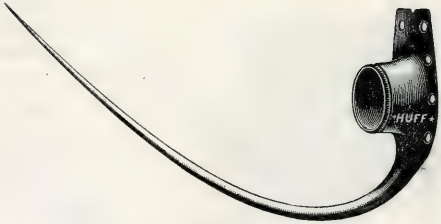
A. A. WOOD.

If you want a Gaff for night-time fighting, state it.

No. 32

Is one of my improved Jaggers. A sure cutter. 2¼ to 2¾ inches.

$7.50 per pair.



No. 76

Is my 2½ to 2¾ inch Full Drop. Very wicked.

$7.50 per pair.

TRENTON, TEX., July 26, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY KIND SIR:—Jaggers received, they are O. K. Used them several times and done good cutting. Like them fine.

Yours fraternally, O. SAUNDERS.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.

MR. JOHN H. MADIGAN

HOUSTON, TEX., Feb. 27, 1899.

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed find $20 to cover charges for the two pairs of Gaffs you sent me at New Orleans, La. I consider your Gaffs as fine as any I ever saw. You can use my name to this effect if it will be of any use to you.

Yours truly,

JOHN H. MADIGAN.

HOUSTON, TEX., May 11, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—I received spurs and thank you. Well I lost 11 to 8, but it was no fault of the spurs. Used them on the last six and won four out of the six. My cocks were very stale, and Nussbaumer only had a few. Thanking you once more,

Yours,

MADIGAN.

MR. MADIGAN is one of the strictly up-to-date cockers of the day, and will give any cocker a fair deal at any time and place for good money. He fights his own private strain, the Texas Rangers. GEO. HUFF.

Office of James S. Fielder, Attorney at Law.

SILVER CITY, N. M., August 8, 1899.

Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR SIR:—I used your two inch, 2¼ inch and 2½ inch Jaggers in a main here on the 28th of March, and won every fight, twelve straights. It seems to me the Jaggers hurt worse than any fair Gaffs I ever saw. I used them on both sparring and shuffling cocks with equal effect, but I did not follow your suggestions as to heeling with them, as I like to heel a good strong cock wider than you suggest. A cock may do more execution with one Gaff set a little in after he is wounded, but I prefer to have them cut with both Gaffs from the start, and heel both out to the outer edge of the knee at least. I must tell you also that I had another small main of five battles in the early part of July, in which I used your 2½ inch Jaggers. I won all five, and their cocks were nearly all rattled in the first mix up, and soon out. I think the Jaggers are properly named.

Yours truly,

JAMES S. FIELDER.

KANSAS CITY, March 15, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

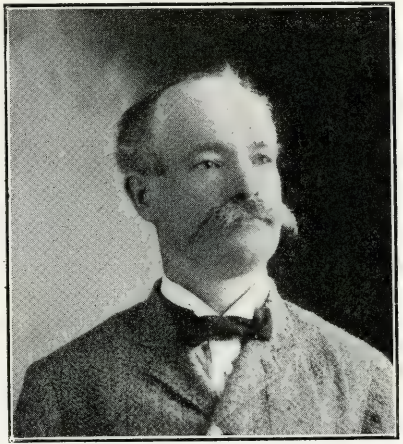
DEAR SIR:—Pardon me for not acknowledging receipt of Gaffs sooner. I am very well pleased with them, and have not lost a fight with them so far, and the Stags were in very poor condition.

Yours truly,

W. D. DESHONG.

TALLACOMA.—Ah'm mad. Ah'm the laughing stock of Tallacoma, and all on account of anotheh of Majah Buckneh's alleged bits of humoh. As evehybody knows Ah'm suthin' of a chicken-fancieh, and always have a few game roostehs about the place. Well, Majah Buckneh is also suthin' of a bihd fancieh, and his roostehs have met mine in many battles. A few days ago, the majah asked me if Ah'd fight my best roosteh against a pahhot, he alleging that he had a pahhot which could whip anything that wohe feathers. The novelty of the idea chahmed me, and Ah unhesitatingly agreed. We set Sunday as the time, ehected a cockpit neah the crossroads, and engaged Jedge Colcolough as refehee. Well, suh, Ah came to the pit cahhying mah favohite roosteh, and the majah loomed up at the otheh side of the ahena with a huge green pahhot. The usual preliminahies wehe gone through, including a bet of $200 a side, and then Ah slipped mah roosteh. He advanced proudly, a glohious pictuhe of bravehy and detehmination. The majah calmly dropped his pahhot into the pit, and the infehnal green bihd, as it wabbled out tohds the centeh, cahhied with it a piece of a woman's apron. Befo' Ah could make out what the cloth was fo', the pahhot, pausing opposite mah roosteh, waved the apron in one claw, and shouted "Shoo!" With a squawk of tehhoh, mah roosteh bolted, ran across the pit, jumped the side and scuttled home, squawking all the way. A great shout of laughteh rose from the crowd; the majah pulled down the stakes, took up his pahhot, and Ah left the pit, the maddest man in Dixie. A trick like that and in the presence of all the chivalry of Tallacoma! Ah shall even that scohe, suh, if it takes me till New Yeah's!

COL. ASHBY.



MR. JOHN B. MIKE

OFFICE OF

John B. Mike

Wholesale Grocer and Cotton Broker

Lessee and Manager Grand Opera House.

Breeder of the Most Fashionable Families of Game Fowls

BRYAN, TEX., Oct. 23, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

FRIEND HUFF:—The Gaffs came safely to hand and they are simply immense. All O. K. in every respect. This now makes me **16** pairs of your make. I would not be without your Gaffs for $500. We will use them in our big main on December 22 and 23, 1902; show 21 cocks, fight for $600 on the odd. Thanking you for prompt attention to my orders and wishing you unlimited success I beg to remain your friend.

JOHN B. MIKE.

No. 296

Is a Drop Socket, 2¼ to 2¾ inches.
A good cutter.

$7.50 per pair.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky. BRYAN, TEX., July 9, 1897.

FRIEND HUFF:—I mailed you our paper a few days ago giving an account of a five-cock main fought by me on the 7th inst. I won four fights out of five with your 2¼ inch Jaggers and got $225.00 cash. This is a nice little bit of pocket change to come in these dull times. I wouldn't be without this pair of Gaffs for any amount of money. How about my set of Muffs, also make me the Heel Saw. Don't delay in making and sending me, with bill. Yours truly, JOHN B. MIKE.

The above is a sample of my correspondence. I only know Col. Mike as a gentleman of means, judging from the strain of fowls he raises for his own home sport and by his New York Exchange of $80 for eight pair of Gaffs. Anyone doubting the originality of the above, or one word used in this Catalogue on strictly High Price and High Grade Goods write to Col. Mike or any other man in the United States. GEO. HUFF.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.

No. 84

This is one of my Full Drops. 2¼ to 2½ inches.

$7.50 per pair.

ST. MATHEWS, KY., October 3, 1899.

To Whom it may Concern:

I have been using Mr. Geo. Huff's Gaffs for some time. In all my experience of forty years at the business I have never seen any superior to them. I now have a case of his make entirely, and use no others. As a forger, finisher, and, most of all, a temperer, I know he stands to-day without an equal. I heartily commend him in his business to all cockers.

GEO. C. SHADBURNE.

Mr. Shadburne is one of the Chief Magistrates of Jefferson Co., Ky., of which the City of Louisville is the county seat. He raises as a private strain for his own use the old stock of Kentucky Dominiques. GEO. HUFF.

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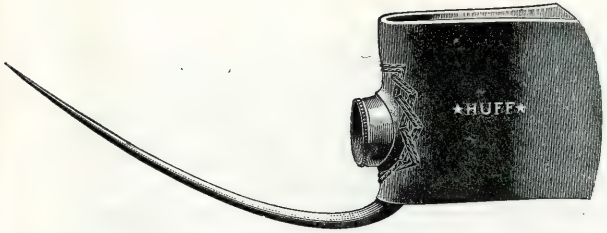


No. 18

Is a half drop. Any length desired.

$6.50 per pair.

Office of Thos. McNeal, Attorney at Law.

GONZALLES, TEX., January 4, 1897.

Geo. Huff, Esq.

DEAR SIR:—I used the 2¼ and 2½ inch Jaggers at San Antonio, and pronounce them good, very good. In main, fifteen were matched, I won eight fights, winning the main, and won nine out of sixteen in hacks.

Yours truly,

THOS. MCNEAL.

This way you get a Gaff best adapted to your Cock's way of fighting.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 8, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

Dear Sir:—I used your Gaffs in nine mains this season, seven of which I won, and the two which were lost was not due to the Gaffs. During the season they were subjected to very severe tests which they stood, and are to-day as good as ever. Your knowledge pertaining to the chemical action of liquids on metal is such that you are in the front rank of your profession. Very truly yours,

ANDREW P. O'CONOR,
Agent Hoster Brewing Co., Richmond, Va.

Mr. O'Conor was probably the first man to demonstrate the fact that fighting cocks can fight as well in one length of Gaff as they can in another.

GEO. HUFF.

JAS. M. O'CONOR ANTHONY GREENE A. P. O'CONOR

No. 142

This is a Drop Socket and a clean cutter.
2¼ to 2¾ inches.

$7.50 per pair.

No. 226

This is one of my full drops.
2¼ to 2¾ inches.

$7.50 per pair.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

PLANO, TEX., Jan. 6, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—The Gaffs came to hand a few days ago. I did not have an opportunity to test them until this morning. They gave the utmost satisfaction. Many thanks. Yours truly, J. H. BEVERLY.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.

No. 49

Is my Improved Jagger. 2¼ to 2½ inches.
A sure cutter.

$7.50 per pair.

GREENVILLE, S. C., August 8, 1899.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Station A, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The Gaffs bought from you, 2⅜ inch Jaggers and 2½ inch Milled Edge Drop Sockets, proved first class in every respect. They were used in the main on April 13th and 14th, Greenville against Charleston, and did splendid work. Never saw better results. The pair, 2⅜ inch Jaggers, that I ordered for a friend is entirely satisfactory to him. He says they are wonderful cutters.

Respectfully, etc.,

E. F. S. ROWLEY.

No. 36

Is a Long Socket, 1½ inch Gaff.

In a great many sections of the country 1½ inch Gaffs are used outside of regulations of any style.

Here is a deep and sure cutting Gaff.

$7.50 per pair.

No. 48.

Is a Jagger. A nice clean cutting Gaff.

$7.50 per pair.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky. FINDLAY, OHIO, August 4, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—Gaffs received on time. I am well pleased with them. Won two fights, and when I want more Gaffs I will send to Geo. Huff for them. Yours truly, J. P. CARRICK.

When ordering Gaffs state strain and how they fight.

No. 185

Is my telescope Drop Socket.
A clean and deep cutting Gaff.

$7.50 per pair.

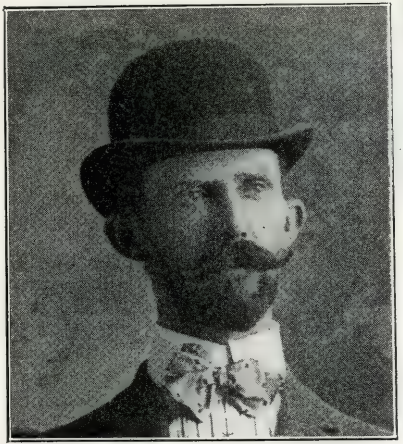
Office of Thos. McNeal, Attorney at Law.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky. GONZALLES, TEX., February 9, 1898.

DEAR SIR:—I herewith enclose P. O. Money Order for $10 for the 2¾ Gaffs. I used them on the first cock I fought. He won on the first fly. We win main against S. S. Moore, twelve to six and one draw in main, and seven out of ten in hacks, winning main and all gate money. I fought the 2¼ Jagger on all small cocks, and I pronounce them first class Gaffs. There are none better made.

Yours truly, THOS. MCNEAL.

If you want a Gaff for night-time fighting, state it.



WM. B. THOMAS

Mr. William B. Thomas

Breeder of the Famous Gordon Game Fowls

CORSICANA, TEX., April 25, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

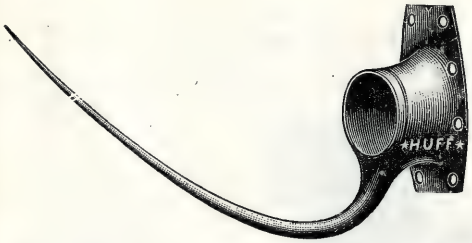
DEAR SIR:—Your Gaffs are the finest I have ever used. The 2⅝ inch pair you made for me several years ago I have been offered, several times, $25 for them. They are not for sale at any price. I have used them in several mains and won all by large majorities.

1. Won 6 out of 7 in a 7 cock main vs. W.A. Hutto and R.P.Coates.
2. Won 2 out of 3 in a 3 cock main vs J.A.Stevens and R.P.Coates.
3. Won 4 out of 7 in a 7 cock main vs. Theo. Nussbaumer, the Dallas cocker.
4. Won all 3 fights in a 3 cock main vs. Stanfield, Boyakins and R. P. Coates.
5. In a 7 cock main vs. H. Y. Field of Dallas, won 4 out of 6; did not fight seventh battle.

They were used in some 50 hack fights since I have had them. They have never battered or bent in the least. I have 5 pair of your make, all good cutters, and they give me perfect satisfaction. I recommend your Gaffs to any man wanting strictly up-to-date heels.

Yours for success,

WM. B. THOMAS,
Engineer City Fire Department.



No. 42

Is an Improved Jagger. A terrific cutting Gaff.

$7.50 per pair.

CHICAGO, ILL., April 5, 1902.

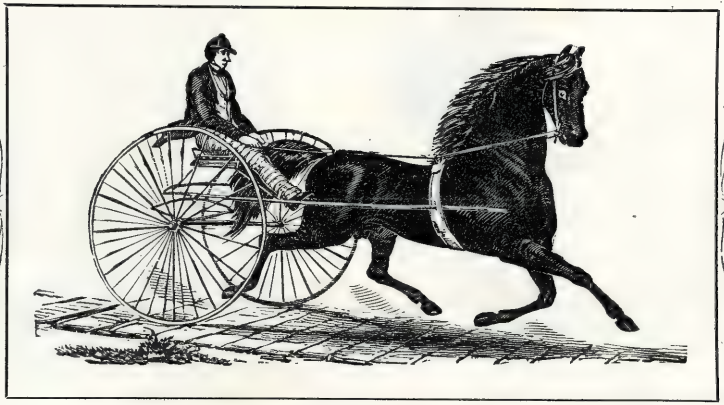
Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Gaffs received several days since. I was prepared to see something extra fine in the way of a Heel and I was not disappointed. They even surpassed what I expected. The style, finish and workmanship is superior to anything I have ever seen. I like the set very much, and I will be surprised indeed, if they do not prove to be exceptionally good cutters. They look wicked enough.

Yours respectfully,

No. 146 Franklin Street. R. S. PARKS.

Champion Trotter of the World



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COOPER, TEXAS, February 24, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Please find enclosed money order for $10, for which make me the best pair of 2⅝ inch Gaffs you can make, and if that is not enough just say so and the rest comes. I have two pair of your Gaffs and they can't be beat.

Yours truly, U. L. MOSS.

COOPER, TEXAS, March 8, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The Gaffs received to-day and am well pleased with them. Know they will cut as they are a *fac simile* of a pair of 2½ inch you made for me a couple of years ago, and I have never found a pair yet that out-cut them. When I want any more Gaffs you may depend upon getting my order.

Yours truly, U. L. MOSS.

HICO, TEXAS, March 3, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Those first Gaffs you sent me are very fine. Out of about 25 fights I won 18 and used your Gaffs every fight. I would like to have the 2¾ inch Jaggers just as soon as possible, as I have a fight matched to come off with that length Gaff.

Respectfully, W. E. CONNOLLY.

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 11, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received the Gaffs all O. K. They are just the kind of a Gaff for any man to use who is a cock fighter. I won eight straight battles with them. They are certainly the finest executing Gaffs on the market.

Yours truly, JOHN A. REPP.

HAMILTON, WASH., May 15, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR AND FRIEND:—Many thanks for the fine gaffs. I sincerely hope you will continue on the work you so well accomplish. Enclosed find $10.00 for the 2¼ inch Full Drops, and if they are any way near as good as the first pair you made for me in March, they will be first class. I have won two mains with the Drop Sockets, not losing a single fight during the whole time, and was up against the best heelers, handlers, and also the best cocks in the north-west. I remain as ever,

M. D. SNIDER.

LAWRENCE, KANSAS, March 7, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The Heels came alright, and I fought them in three fights on small cocks, all three winning, which I think is very good. I fought against Leavenworth, Kas. cocks and the best heels and handlers they could produce. I am very much pleased all around. When I need any more Heels you will get my order, for you make the neatest gaffs I ever saw. Wishing you continued success, I remain

Yours truly, SAM SEILE.

GREENSBORO, ALA., January 29, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR MR. HUFF:—Gaffs received and am very well pleased with them. Every one that has seen them are pleased with them, and think they are the best they ever saw. Yesterday afternoon I tried the 2¼ inch, and they landed me the coin in about two minutes. Enclosed find New York exchange for $3.75 to pay you the balance due for the order I gave you. Thanking you for past favors, and hoping to remain

Yours very truly, E. V. OTTS.

NORMAL, ILL., May 4th, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Esq.

DEAR SIR:—I received the Heels yesterday A. M. Am very well pleased with them. Style and finish can't be beat. I used them last night with success, winning two hack fights, both in first pitting. They out-cut anything around here. Thanking you for the Heels, I remain

Yours truly, R. W. SINCLAIR.

SALEM, O., April 17, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—It affords me great pleasure to write you a few lines this evening. I used your 2½ inch Jaggers in seven battles, winning six. I like them well enough to enclose you P. O. money order for $7.50 for which make me a pair of 2¼ inch Jaggers, same set as the 2½ inch. I want these 2¼ inch Jaggers for my small birds.

Yours truly, H. L. COLE.

MARIETTA, O., April 15, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The 2⅜ inch Drop Sockets received on time. Used them in five fights, win three. I think they are as good as any body has got. The boys here all say they are the finest heels they ever saw.

Yours truly, FRED BISHMAN.

COLUMBUS, O., April 7, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The 2⅜ inch Jaggers received on time. Used them Saturday night in 5 fights and won 3. I must say the Jaggers are alright, for they had a very severe test, as all the cocks I fought were very strong.

Yours truly, HARRY WARD.

MEXICO, June 26, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I have been using the pair of your Full Drop Gaffs you sent me a long time ago, and I can say they are first class in every respect. I have your 1900 announcement, and if a new one has been issued please favor me with one, and quote me prices on No. 32 Improved Jaggers, 2¼ inch; No. 95 Full Drops, 2½ inch; No. 296 Drop Socket, 2¾ inch; and Milled Edge Drop Sockets, 2¾ inch as mentioned by Mr. Mike on last page.

Yours truly,

MIGUEL GOMEZ.

1ª Humboldt, No. 12, Mexico.

PITTSBURG, PA., Feb. 24, 1902.

Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received Heels in time to use in our main against John Williams, and consider them fine. We showed 9 cocks, 6 fell in. We win first 4 straight fights in main. The first fight lasting only 30 seconds.

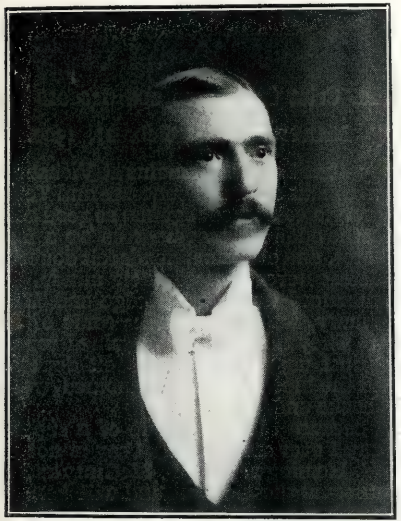
Yours truly, N. L. MATHEWS.

CELINA, O., May 11, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Gaffs received on time and am very much pleased with them. I made them all take it back this morning. I win 6 straight fights with five cocks. I fought a little 4-4 two fights without cutting the Gaffs off. These Gaffs just seem to suit their way of fighting. Yours very truly,

GEO. YODER



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MARTIN, MISS., Feb. 21, 1900.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—No doubt it will be very gratifying for you to know that I won both mains at Vicksburg, and used your Gaffs in every fight. We won eight out of ten in first main against Tennessee and Texas, and seven out of ten in the second main against Mississippi and Georgia combined, against as good cockers as we have here in the South. Before we commenced fighting, the odds were against us by a large majority. They had selected their cocks from several different States, and even our friends felt doubtful, while our opponents felt sanguine of victory, and the thought of defeat never crossed their minds, and they actually looked sorry for us—all this mind you before we commenced fighting. Sledge and Madigan were to have fought a main in New Orleans, the middle of January, for $1000 a side; some of Mr. Sledge's cocks got sick, and he paid Mr. Madigan the $200 forfeit. They then and there joined together, with a lot of help from all over the South, and doubled up against us; but we never felt doubtful, from the fact that we had Huff's Gaffs, and a line of cocks that had the blood; the two combined, we did not believe could be whipped in the world by any combination of cocks under the sun.

Your Gaffs are the best cutters we ever saw; and why? Jnst because they are made of a superior quality of steel, and the set and finish of your Gaffs are ahead of any I ever saw. What I say is not my sentiments alone, but it is that of such well known cockers as T. W. Hemingway, T. B. McGinty and W. C. Hope, of Louisiana, and many others. All these gentlemen witnessed these mains, and will bear me out in every word I say regarding your Gaffs and their wonderful cutting qualities.

Very respectfully, W. L. ALLEN.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 20, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received the Heels. They are perfect in every respect. They are something fine. The flange is just what I want. They are the best pair of 1¼ inch Heels, I ever saw, Philadelphia rules. They are winning heels, and we have the cocks that can use them. You are the best in the business. I will send you an order for another pair. Enclosed find my brother's letter; see what he says about your heels. Please send letter back. Yours truly, M. A. LEONARD.

1216 Summer Street.

MAYESVILLE, S. C., January 30, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Gaffs arrived O. K. and are all one could wish them to be. We fought our main yesterday; showed seventeen, matched nine, won six, lost three, and two of the losers were lost on a scratch. With a Huff Gaff and Acorn Eater Cock, can win. Then when an A. E. Cock catches his opponent, sits down on his tail and gives an old-fashioned wallow shuffle with a Huff Heel on, its all over but settling up and don't forget it. Yours truly, W. W. GARDNER.

BATON ROUGE, LA., February 22, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Gaffs received O. K., and I find them to work very satisfactorily. I send you by today's express a pair of Mr. Grist's $10 Gaffs to see if I can exchange them for a pair of your 2⅜ inch Full Drop Sockets. Yours very truly, E. W. ROBERTSON.

FORT GAINES, GA., Nov. 10, 1896.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR SIR:—Mr. Fleming has just shown me five pairs of Gaffs, all are well made and it was an easy job to pass verdict. I like the 2½ inch Drops with Milled Edge, these, however, are as short as I would care to use on a stag or on a 4–8 cock, as they will also do for heavier they are valuable. If a man wants to buy only one pair of Gaffs, I would advise buying the same size blade, but have them 2¾ inches long. In the entire lot you have not sent me a poorly set Gaff. The little Drops, 2¼ set, are a fac-simile of a pair I have won hundreds of good fights with. The heavy drops are good set, but are unnecessarily heavy. It is no guess-work about your Gaffs' cutting. The Jaggers are good but many do not find them easy to heel with. Yours truly, F. E. GRIST.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., April 15, 1897.

Mr. Geo Huff, Louisville, Ky.

After using the two (2) pair of Gaffs which I ordered from you, I take pleasure in saying that the Gaffs which you manufacture are first-class in every particular, and the best cutting Gaffs I ever put on a cock. I won three straight fights Sunday the 11th inst. with the Jaggers. Respectfully,

J. B. CROWTHER.

OCKLAWAHA, FLA., December 8, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I find the Gaffs all you represented—good cutters with little hanging. Have used them in eight battles up to this time, and won five. Hoping you are kept busy, and that all patrons are equally pleased, with myself, I am, dear sir, Very truly yours, JOHN C. GARRETT.

HAZELDELL, PA., April 14, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR FRIEND:—I take great pleasure in letting you know that I like my 2⅜ inch Jaggers alright. I fought the main to-day and won 5 out of 7. 2 out of 3 with Jaggers, and 3 out of 4 with the 2½ inch Drops. I enclose you money order for $15.00 for one pair 2⅛ inch and one pair 2¼ inch Jaggers, hoping to receive them as soon as I did the others. Charley Vogel fought two mains at Pittsburg, Pa. and won them both.

Yours truly, JOHN WARDMAN.

NEWARK, OHIO, December 3, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MR. HUFF:—The 2½ inch Drop Sockets received on time. We were successful in our main. Nine birds fell in and we won them *all*, and one hack fight and win that. We had quite a crowd. Zanesville, Shawnee, and Columbus were over. I don't know whether it was them Heels or our good birds, but we are well pleased with your heels, and would not take any thing for them. We used them on light birds as well as heavy ones and did the work just as quick. The Zanesville and Mt. Vernon Cockers say your Heels can't be beat.

Yours respectfully, BRICKELS & DUPLER.

NEWARK, OHIO, January 5, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

FRIEND HUFF:—The 1¾ inch Gaffs received in good time and more than pleased with them. Only lost one fight during the evening, this fight did not use your gaffs. Won three straights with your 1¾ inch.

Respectfully yours, HOMER BRICKELS.

WARRIOR, ALA., Dec. 7, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I enclose twenty dollars [$20.00] for which please send me two pair of full drop Gaffs one pair 2¼ inch and one pair 2½ inch. Send me your best heels with keen blades. Forward this order at once, in eight days if possible. I was well pleased with the others I got some time ago.

I remain yours very truly, JNO. L. BRAKE, JR.

WARRIOR, ALA., Dec. 28, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR SIR:—After waiting so long I will write you and tell you about your Gaffs. They are the best. We began the sport last Monday morning and won the first four fights, $25.00 a fight. We fought 12 fights and won 8 out of 12. We had some bad cocks to go against. The second day we won 5 out of 9. I am well pleased with your Gaffs. I also know your friend, Mr. Tavel, of Coaldale, Ala., he was in with us and had four of his cocks in with us. I showed him the Gaffs as you asked me to do. He tried to buy the first pair I got from you but I would not sell them. They are the best. I remain,

Yours very truly, JNO. L. BRAKE, JR.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., August 21, 1902.

Geo. Huff, Esq., Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The 2⅝ inch drops you sent me are fine. I have never seen a pair of Gaffs that for material, finish and set could be any better, if as good, I used them recently in a special match for $50 and won out easily. The cutting qualities of your Gaffs are unexcelled. They are alright and no mistake.

Truly yours, GEO. E. GARD.

MULLINS, S. C., May 31, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR SIR:—The 2⅝ inch Gaffs received all O. K. last Tuesday at 11 o'clock. To say how well satisfied I am with them, words fail to express. I used them in three fights, and they either killed first fly or so rattled the other cock that it only took one more pitting to finish him. I would not take $100 for them to-day. I want another pair like them. They are the best cutting Gaffs I ever saw, and the workmanship cannot be excelled. Several of the sports say they want a pair exactly like them and I am sure you will receive many orders from this section. Many thanks for the untiring efforts you made to get the Gaffs to me on time. Always your friend and customer, and wishing Huff's Gaffs continued success, I remain your friend truly W. F. SMITH.

WYLIE, TEX., July 10, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I promised you I would write you how I came out with the 2½ inch Drop Sockets you sent me. We only showed 3 cocks and won in short order. I was in Greenville, Tex., a few days ago and seen Mr. Moss win five straight with a pair of your make. Wishing you a good time and plenty of business, I am yours truly, A. M. WATKINS.

PHILLIPSBURG, MONT., April 18, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received the gaffs all O. K. Used them last night on four birds, win them all. Five pittings was the longest fight. I thank you very much for being so prompt. If I ever need anything in your line I will remember you. Respectfully yours, W. W. NEBETHAL.

BLACKSBURG, S. C., March 12, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

I wanted to tell you about your, or rather, my Jaggers, that I got from you in December, 1900. You wrote me such a sassy letter that I am almost determined not to write now. Anyway, I have had them on six first class cocks since Xmas, Stonewalls of course, against good cocks, and won every fight; and strange to say, they don't hang at all, but cut going and coming. At first I did not like them at all, and wrote you to that effect. Since then I found that I was heeling them wrong. Since learning to heel them properly I consider them the best and surest cutting Gaffs I ever saw. I have broken a cock's leg and wing, and gave him a death rattle in the first pitting with them. My Jaggers are not for sale.

Yours truly, McK. ALBERGOTTI.

NEW IBERIA, LA., April 14, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received my Gaffs in time for my fight. Matched 5 cocks, won 4 out of 5 and rattled all 5 of the cocks. Mr. Huff, I never will fight a cock unless I have a pair of Huff's Gaffs on him. Remember, the parties I fought against were men that fought two mains against Ozenne and Jack Thompson, last year winning one and losing one. Many thanks for the fine Gaffs. Very truly, J. A. NERAUX.

HAZELHURST, GA., August 8, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I would like to say in regard to your Gaffs that I have found them to be strictly first class in every respect, and in my little fights I have been quite successful with them. I recently shipped three cocks to a party in Moultrie, Ga., and he advised me that all three cocks won with Huff Gaffs.

Respectfully, C. M. MAHONE.

NOBLESTOWN, PA., October 22, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received the 2¼ inch Jaggers in time and must say they are the finest and most deadly cutting Gaffs I have ever seen or used. I used them in five fights and won five straight fights on cocks that weighed 4.12 up to 5.11. I fought three of the cocks the second time against fresh cocks and won two out of three. Thanks for such a fine pair of Gaffs. Hereafter I shall only use your make of Gaffs, and discard everything I have in that line, in all about nine pair. In all my collection I have'nt a pair as well proportioned, light and neatly made as these of yours. You will hear from me in a few days in regard to two more pair, and would like to know if I can get them by Thanksgiving Eve. I sincerely hope that you will continue to do your fine work. Most truly yours, ABE WELSH.

CORSICANA, TEX., April 17, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received my Gaffs and must say that I am well pleased with them. I won five straight fights with them. They cut next to a slasher. There are some eight or ten pairs of your Gaffs here, and a greater number of other makes, and we all lay them down and use your Gaffs. Thanking you for good workmanship, I am most respectfully, JOHN C. WOOD.

MARLIN, TEX., December 28, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed find P. O. money order for $7.50 for which please make me one pair of 2½ inch Full Drop Gaffs for all around fighting. I fought a 7 cock main on the 23rd and 24th and won 5 out of 7, and won 2 out of 3 in Hacks with the $10 Drop Sockets you made me in 1898.

Yours truly, A. WAGONER.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Aug. 14, 1902,

FRIEND HUFF:—The two pair of Gaffs you made for Gus Hass are excellent. He showed them to me. As for myself, I have bought quite a number of pairs from you, and frankly say there are none better in the U. S. I fight from 250 to 300 fights during the year and have won 90 per cent. of my fights with your Gaffs on my Comanche cocks, ½ Grist, ½ Claibournes. I have 80 pair of Gaffs of different makes, but have discarded them all for your 2¼, 2½ and 2¾ inch Jaggers and Full Drops, and will say, if the professional or amateur has a fighting cock, its only one to three rounds and its all off, with Huff's Gaffs. I do not desire to flatter you, but simply tell the facts. If you think this is "taffy" pass it into the waste basket, Your friend, J. B. CROWTHER, Deputy Sheriff.

CORSICANA, TEX., June 26, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—After some delay I take pleasure in writing to you in regards to the 2¾ inch Gaffs you made for me. I never in my life saw such a Gaff. I have fought them in ten fights and won nine. In all of the nine fights they never hung but in one cock. I never in all my life saw such a Gaff to release itself. They simply tear a cock up. I have used them on some very small cocks and they just used them as well as large cocks. They are just out of sight. Your true friend and well wisher,

W. B. GRANTHAM.

CINCINNATI, O., August, 9, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The pair of Jaggers you made for me in 1897 are just what you represented them to be, an up-to-date Gaff; and as for style, finish and cutting qualities, they have no equal, in fact they are an artistic pair. I would not part with them for any amount. Yours respectfully,

200 Hudson Avenue. Station H. JOHN SULLIVAN.

LYNCHBURG, VA., May 12, 1899.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The Gaffs you made for me are very fine. I have used nothing else since I got them, and have won three-quarters of all the fights. I have used the Jaggers more than the Drops, and every man around the pit said they never saw such cutters. To say that I am pleased with them would be putting it very mild. I would not take $50 for them to-day. I expect to use them altogether. Wishing you good luck, I am,

Yours truly, JOHN S. WALDEN.

HONEA PATH, S. C., December 6, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received my two pair of 2½ inch and 2¾ inch Gaffs and would not want any better. I used them in a main on the 28th of November against J. P. Smith, of Donalds; W. W. Odom, of Payne, and Colin Prince of Pelzer. I won 7 out of 11 in the main and 5 out of 7 in the hacks. I had several more I wanted to fight, but the boys left that night and would not fight the next day. Each party put up $100 on the main, and $15 each fight. I would not be without my Gaffs for $100.

Respectfully yours, S. G. MURDOCK.

TUSCOLA, N. C., January 3, 1901.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I feel that I am under obligation to write you in regard to the 2⅝ inch Gaffs I bought of you last winter. You know when I lost the Dillsboro main I was dissatisfied with the Gaffs. I sure thought they were no good, but I did not do the heeling in the main. In the last two months I won 20 out of 25 fights. Xmas day I fought 10 hacks, won 7, lost 3. $25.00 dollars would not buy them.

Yours very truly, W. M. TATE.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., February 25, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR SIR:—I had my scrap last night, and won six out of seven with your Gaffs. Won three fights with one cock without cutting off the Gaffs. Won each time in first pitting. He is a dandy, I tell you. I will just keep the Gaffs I have, they are good enough for me. Make others exactly like them, and I will send for them soon. These suit me exactly. Yours truly, OSCAR L. FISHER.

KINSTON, N. C., April 14, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The 2⅝ inch Drop Sockets received on time. Have used them several times recently. They are perfectly satisfactory in every respect. They are beyond a doubt the finest cutters I ever saw. I always feel satisfied when I tie on your Gaffs, for I know full well that they are cutters from start to finish, and both of them will be there when the fight is over. I have never seen one bend or break yet.

Yours very respectfully, JAMES T. CHATTIN.

PITTSBURG, May 31st, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR AND FRIEND:—I received my 2⅜ inch Jaggers all O. K. and am more than pleased with them. I would of acknowledged receipt of same sooner, only I wanted to wait and write you about our big day down on the Island at East Liverpool, Ohio. They had three and four pits going from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening. I used the Jaggers on four cocks and won three.

Your friend, ED. CALLEN.

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FAYETTE, MISS., Feb. 20, 1900.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Your Gaffs were used on our cocks in every battle. We fought against all comers, and we won the grandest mains ever fought in this State. Yours for Huff's Gaffs always,

T. B. MCGINTY.

MARTIN MISS., November 11, 1899.

MY DEAR SIR:—The Gaffs you make surpass anything I have ever seen in point of finish, set, shape or workmanship. They can not be excelled. The last pair you made for me just suit my cock's style of fighting exactly, and shall never use any other.

Very truly yours, W. L. ALLEN.

Mr. W. C. Hope of Illawara, La., used your Gaffs in my pit. They are good and sure.

W. L. ALLEN.

DAHLONEGA, GA., Nov. 6, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR;—Not until to-day did I get to use your 2⅝ inch drops. I won easily. Your Gaffs out cut any I ever tried. I am well pleased with them. Respectfully, GEO. J. JELKS.

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ILLAWARA, LA., Nov. 21, 1902.

FRIEND HUFF:—I wanted to write you relative to the Monroe fight only for lack of time. The Monroe fight did not hurt me. My cocks won 14 out of 22. The 2⅞ are the finest pair of Gaffs on earth. I want you to make me 2 pairs; 1 pair 2⅝ inch Full Drops, and 1 pair 3⅛ inch Full Drops, same set and pattern as the 2⅞. You may think the 3⅛ rather rakey, but you would be surprised at the big ones I am raising and faster than any 4 pound cock you ever saw. I want these 3⅛ for these big fellows. I would like to use these Gaffs December 11. With best wishes, your friend truly, W. C. HOPE.

PITTSBURG, PA., Jan. 27, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I received your letter and was glad to hear that you received the Money Order all O. K. You asked me where I got that pair of Jaggers. They are the ones yon made for Mr. John Williams, and I paid him a good price for them. I used them on 25 cocks, winning 22 fights. I won 21 straight fights with them before I lost a fight. I would like to have them by Friday, as I fight at Rubes on that night. The new Gaffs you can send later. I have fought 30 cocks this season, winning 26 battles, and I know your Gaffs helped me very much to do it. Thanking you very much for your prompt attention to my order, I am,

Very truly yours,

No. 365 Princeton Place. N. S. MATHEWS.

BELCHER, LA., May 14, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—I wrote you I would inform you of the result of the main. We cleaned those Louisville, Ark. boys last year, this time they came prepared to do us up. Mr. J. B. Taylor, of Pittsburg, Tex., brought some of his cocks heeled and handled; one man from Texarkana was interested in the main. We were not to be in it at all. We weighed up, only three fell in, two of their favorites were in it. They were jubilant and had money to burn. When the cocks were brought in it was $25, $50 to $100. The Arkansas Cock was verily a fine bird; he fought like a tiger and died like a lamb. The second battle they showed a cock that was a winner of two battles and backed him for all we wanted to take up. It must have been recorded that he never was to win another battle for we killed him. Honestly, Huff Gaffs won that battle for us; of course, it decided the main in our favor. The third battle they showed grit. The main was gone from them and they concluded to recuperate their losses. They still had money to burn and put it up. We showed a two time winner and backed him too. It was a short fight and the third cock was killed. The fourth battle they put in a Cyclone. I put in my yard cock and told the boys I raised from him last spring, and $25 says I'll raise from him next spring; he came out winner for the fourth time. The fifth battle, Mr. Adgers, my associate in the game chickens, put in his yard cock, it was another short battle, making five straight. We then fought some outside cocks. In all we won 8 out of 11. From this time on give me Huff's Gaffs. The Belcher boys say Huff's Gaffs and a War Horse cock is hard to beat. Yours truly, L. PLACIDE PEYROUX.

BALTIMORE, MD., Nov. 18, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR FRIEND:—I received the two pair heels to-day, and I must say I am well pleased with my dealings with you. The heels suit me exactly. Yours truly, W. W. LAWDER.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

ELKHORN, W. VA., Jan. 16, 1902.

MY DEAR SIR:—I received my Jaggers and used them, won 7 straights, one fellow wanted me to put them on an old white drake; he said he thought I would win any way, did not make any difference what they was on. I told the boys that they were warranted never to be cut off a dead cock. They are all O. K. and return many thanks for them. Send me a pair of 2⅝ inch Drops for the $10.00. We have a fight in view with Pocahontas, Va. Mr. A. A. Wood, of Tennessee, will heel and handle. I have some good fox hounds. Run a race yesterday. I can send you a pair of pups, they will be free to you, no charge. Hoping to hear from you soon, as ever,

Your friend, M. F. STULTZ.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

GREENWOOD, MISS., Nov. 18, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed find Money Order for $9.00 for which please send me 1 pair 2⅜ inch Full Drops, and set of Muffs. Mr. Huff, you know I have bought several pair of your Gaffs and as myself and friends continue to use them they must be good enough for us, in fact, they are almost used exclusively here at this place, and find they are undoubtedly as handsome Gaffs as ever came uuder the observation of man. They are the most deadly cutters we have ever used, seen or heard of.

Fraternally, H. E. REYNOLDS.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

YUKON, O. T., Nov. 1, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—I would of acknowledged receipt of Gaffs sooner but was away from home when they arrived. They are the finest finished Gaffs I have ever seen and they can't help but cut. In conclusion will say that I am more than pleased with them and when I need any more heels you will certainly get the order. Wishing you the success your work merits, I am, Yours fraternally, H. O. COOPER.

P. S.—Many thanks for the neat manner in which you put my initials on Gaffs. H. O. C.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Nov. 18, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—The 2⅜ and 2⅝ inch Drop Socket Gaffs received O. K. I think them the finest Gaffs I ever saw. A man that can make Gaffs like you do, it is no wonder that he is kept busy. Thanking you for such fine Gaffs, I remain Respectfully yours, JOHN MERRIFIELD.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., March 18, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

SIR:—Thought that you might want to know that I won 7 out of 9 from Ungar, of Indianapolis, last night. I used the heels I got of you. This makes three mains and quite a number of hacks that I have won with them. I like the short heels best, even for big cocks. I think that you will see the time when you will see that I am not such a bad fellow as you seem to think that I am, but whether you do or not, your heels are the best cutters that I have ever got hold of. Thanking you, I am,

Yours truly, THATCHER A. PARKER.

LOTT, TEXAS, January 26, 1902.

Mr. Geo. Huff, Louisville, Ky.

MY DEAR FRIEND:—I will say I matched the Hill County boys 5 fights yesterday. I used my cocks and my 2½ inch Huffs, I won 5 straight, and sent them back broke, and killed every one of their cocks. How is that. I won a nice pile of spondulix off of them. I would not take $100 for my 2½ new Huffs. I am thankful to you for the great job. They are the fastest cutting Gaffs I ever saw. I will want 2 or 3 other pair before another season. Your customer for all time to come. Your friend,

F. E. WHITE.

In closing would state, parties desiring to favor me with an order and not finding any thing in this Catalogue to suit their fancy in shape or design of Gaff will state their strain and crosses, and about how they fight. It is also advisable to state if high or low stationed cocks, and if single stroke fighters or combination fighters, as I have some 30 patterns of Gaffs not shown in Catalogue (for the benefit of imitators) warranted to suit their respective strains style of fighting. I also call your attention to my Jaggers, which are mine originally, both in name and set, and not the some times called Jaggers. Cheap Gaffs are like cheap cocks.

Proof Positive.

They are my witnesses. I publish what they say. Each name and address is correctly given. If you have any doubt as to the originality of any testimonial in this Catalogue, it will cost you but little to find out; write them; they are all reliable, no fakes.

GEO. HUFF.

Col. Mike on Huff Gaffs

Editor Southwestern Cockers' Journal:

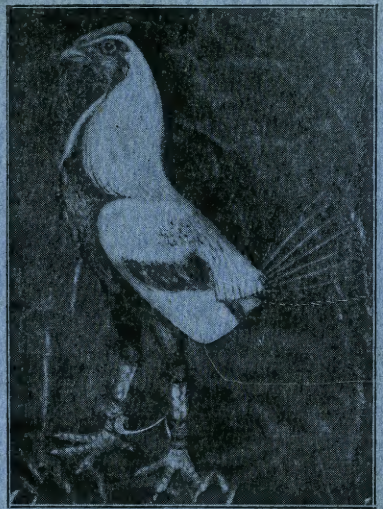
DEAR SIR:—I am in receipt of two pairs of fine Gaffs, one a 2¾ inch Milled Edge Dropped Socket, the other a pair of 2½ inch Jaggers, which Geo. Huff, of Louisville, Ky., sent via Col. F. E. Grist, to you for inspection. I have fifty odd pairs of good Gaffs, eight pairs of these were made by Mr. Huff. I invariably use heels of his make in every fight I make, as I win more fights by using them. I fought three mains this season, winning all three and a majority of the hacks. He demands a big price, but no cocker could make a mistake in getting such heels and fighting his cocks for money. His Milled Edge Drop Socket are the finest and most deadly cutters I ever saw. Too much can not be said of his Jaggers, from the reputation they have gained at San Antonio, Galveston and throughout Texas. Thos. McNeal, of Gonzales, and J. B. Crowther of San Antonio, I have learned from good authority, have and are dealing destruction with Huff Gaffs.

Yours truly,

JOHN B. MIKE.

BRYAN, TEXAS, May 1, 1897.

Heel your Cocks with Gaffs that will land the money.



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